

to set alternative January 2011 locality pay rates for civilian Federal employees covered by the General Schedule and certain other pay systems—referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 111–156).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H7657, H7700–01, H7702–03, H7703. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 10:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DOD RESPONSE TO REPORT ON PROFESSIONAL MILITARY EDUCATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on Continued Engagement: Department of Defense Responses to the Committee's April 2010 Report on Professional Military Education. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Lernes J. Hebert, Acting Director, Officer and Enlisted Personnel Management, Office of the Under Secretary, Personnel and Readiness; BG William C. Hix, USA, Director, Operational Plans and Joint Force Development, J–7, Joint Chiefs of Staff; BG Sean MacFarland, USA, Deputy Commandant, Command and General Staff College, U.S. Army; Scott Lutterloh, Director, Total Force Training and Education Division, U.S. Navy; Dan Sitterly, Director, Force Development, Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower and Personnel, U.S. Air Force; and MG Robert Neller, USMC, President, Marine Corps University.

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO CRISIS—U.S. NATIONAL SECURITY IMPLICATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Unconventional Threats, and Capabilities held a hearing on the Crisis in the Democratic Republic of Congo: Implications for U.S. National Security. Testimony was heard from Ted Dagne, Specialist in African Affairs, CRS, Library of Congress; John Prendergast, former Director, African Affairs, National Security Council; and a public witness.

INVESTMENTS TIED TO GENOCIDE

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on International Monetary Policy and Trade held a hearing entitled “Investments Tied to Genocide: Sudan Divestment and Beyond.” Testimony was heard from Thomas Melito, Director, International Affairs and

Trade, GAO; Richard S. Williamson, former Special Envoy to Sudan; and public witnesses.

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted, by a non-record vote, a closed rule providing for consideration of H.J. Res. 101, Making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2011, and for other purposes. The rule provides 1 hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the joint resolution except those arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. The rule provides that the joint resolution shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the joint resolution. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairman Obey.

HEALTHY, HUNGER-FREE KIDS ACT OF 2010

Committee on Rules: Granted, by a non-record vote, a closed rule providing for consideration of S. 3307, Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010. The rule provides 1 hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Education and Labor. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill except those arising under clause 9 of rule XXI. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the bill. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairman George Miller of California, and Representative Kline of Minnesota.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2010

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: To hold hearings to examine problems in mortgage servicing from modification to foreclosure, part 2, 9:30 a.m., SD–538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: To hold hearings to examine transition and implementation, focusing on the NASA Authorization Act of 2010, 10:30 a.m., SR–253.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine mini med policies, 2:30 p.m., SR–253.

Committee on Foreign Relations: To hold hearings to examine Latin America in 2010, focusing on opportunities, challenges, and the future of the United States policy in the hemisphere, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Business meeting to consider S. 3817, to amend the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act, the Family Violence Prevention and Services Act, the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment and Adoption Reform Act of 1978, and the Abandoned Infants Assistance Act of 1988 to reauthorize the Acts, S. 3199, to amend the Public Health Service Act regarding early detection, diagnosis, and treatment of hearing loss, S. 3036, to establish the Office of the National Alzheimer's Project, S. 1275, to establish a National Foundation on Physical Fitness and Sports to carry out activities to support and supplement the mission of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports, H.R. 2941, to reauthorize and enhance Johanna's Law to increase public awareness and knowledge with respect to gynecologic cancers, an original bill entitled, "The Museum and Library Services Act of 2010", and the nominations of Anthony Bryk, of California, Robert Anacletus Underwood, of Guam, and Kris D. Gutierrez, of Colorado, all to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Board for Education Sciences, Sean P. Buckley, of New York, to be Commissioner of Education Statistics, Department of Education, Susan H. Hildreth, of Washington, to be Director of the Institute of Museum and Library Services, Cora B. Marrett, of Wisconsin, to be Deputy Director of the National Science Foundation, and Allison Blakely, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities, and subcommittee assignments; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, focusing on management and oversight, 9:45 a.m., SD-430.

Committee on the Judiciary: Business meeting to consider S. 3675, to amend chapter 11 of title 11, United States Code, to address reorganization of small businesses, S. 2888, to amend section 205 of title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualifying law school students participating in legal clinics from the application of the general conflict of interest rules under such section, S. 3728, to amend title 17, United States Code, to extend protection to fashion design, S. 1598, to amend the National Child Protection Act of 1993 to establish a permanent background check system, and the nominations of Robert Neil Chatigny, and Susan L. Carney, both of Connecticut, both to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second

Circuit, Amy Totenberg, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia, James Emanuel Boasberg, and Amy Berman Jackson, both to be United States District Judge for the District of Columbia, James E. Shadid, and Sue E. Myerscough, both to be United States District Judge for the Central District of Illinois, James E. Graves, Jr., of Mississippi, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fifth Circuit, Paul Kinloch Holmes, III, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Arkansas, Anthony J. Battaglia, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California, Edward J. Davila, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, Diana Saldana, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, Max Oliver Cogburn, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Western District of North Carolina, Marco A. Hernandez, and Michael H. Simon, both to be United States District Judge for the District of Oregon, and Steve C. Jones, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia, and Michele Marie Leonhart, of California, to be Administrator of Drug Enforcement, and Stacia A. Hylton, of Virginia, to be Director of the United States Marshals Service, both of the Department of Justice, and Patti B. Saris, of Massachusetts, and Dabney Langhorne Friedrich, of Maryland, both to be a Member of the United States Sentencing Commission, 10 a.m., SD-226.

House

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Strategic Forces, hearing on the status of the phased adaptive approach, 2 p.m., 2212 Rayburn.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, hearing on Implementing Tougher Sanctions on Iran: A Progress Report, 9:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Courts and Competition Policy, hearing on Antitrust Laws and Their Effects on Health care Providers, Insurers and Patients, 10:30 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, executive, briefing on WikiLeaks Unauthorized Disclosures of Classified Information, 11 a.m., 304-HVC.

Subcommittee on Intelligence Community Management, hearing on Update on Security Clearance Reform, 1 p.m., 2253 Rayburn.

Select Committee on Energy Independence and Global Warming, hearing entitled "Not Going Away: America's Energy Security, Jobs and Climate Challenges," 11 a.m., 210 Cannon.